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## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 1, 2002

(SUBMISSION WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION)

Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This replies to the first Office Action mailed August 1, 2002. A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time accompanies this reply, making it due on Monday, February 3, 2003.